## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Art Unit: Not assigned Kan FUJIHARA et al. Examiner: Not assigned Serial No: 10/667,134 I hereby certify that this correspondence Filed: September 19, 2003 is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as POLYIMIDE FILM AND LAMINATE For: first class mail in an envelope addressed HAVING METAL LAYER AND SAME Commissioner for Patents TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION P.O. Box 1450 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on October 24/2003 Date of Deposit Commissioner for Patents Shindale Ferguson P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 24, 2003 Signat Dear Sirs: 1. The information disclosure statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application other than a continued prosecution application, or within three months of the date of entry into the national stage of an international application, or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, or before the mailing of a first Office action after the filing of a request for continued examination under §1.114, whichever event occurs last. 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b). 2. The information disclosure statement transmitted herewith is being filed after the period specified in §1.97(b), but before the mailing date of a final action under §1.113, or a notice of allowance under §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, whichever occurs first. A statement specified in §1.97(e) or a fee set forth in §1.17(p) is included. 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c). §1.97(e) STATEMENT I, the person signing below, state: that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in the attached communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and that the communication is dated not more than three months prior to the filing of the statement. 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1).

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	NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE REFERENCES Enclosed is a search report for a counterpart application. The search report Examiner has provided comments on the relevancy of any non-English language references cited in the search report.
$\boxtimes$	The specification incorporates comments on the relevancy of Non-English language references.  1. Japanese Publication No. 05-078503 published March 30, 1993
	Set forth below are comments provided by the applicant's home country counsel or the relevancy of non-English language references:
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